

CONNAUGHT TO GOVERN CANADA

Duke Will Succeed Earl Grey in September.

TERM IS FOR TWO YEARS

That Period, However, May Be Extended When the Proper Time Arrives—Duke May Also Act as Regent During King George's Absence in India, in Which Event His Arrival in Canada Will Be Delayed.

London, Jan. 30.—It is officially announced that the Duke of Connaught will succeed Earl Grey in September as governor general of Canada. He will hold the appointment for two years and that period may be extended.

Various reports have been current from time to time, particularly from Canadian sources, that the Duke of Connaught would not be the next governor general of Canada, although on the original announcement of his appointment, shortly after the death of King Edward, officially, it was stated that it had been the wish of the king that the Duke of Connaught, his brother, should go to Canada as governor general.

A late dispatch from London reported that the duke would be appointed regent during the absence of King George in India for the coronation durbur. Such an appointment, it was believed, would serve to delay the duke's replacing Earl Grey.

SATISFACTION AT OTTAWA

Appointment of Duke of Connaught Well Received.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 30.—The announcement that the Duke of Connaught will be the next governor general of the Dominion was received here with great satisfaction. It is felt here that the presence of a distinguished member of the royal family at Ottawa will give the capital more political and social importance than it ever has had.

Official confirmation of the appointment was received by Earl Grey in a cablegram from Lewis Vernon Harcourt, the colonial secretary. Earl Grey's term expires in September and it is expected the Duke and Duchess of Connaught will take up their official residence at Rideau hall some time during that month.

INDIAN FOUND NOT GUILTY

Unwritten Law Figures in Minnesota Murder Case.

Grand Rapids, Minn., Jan. 30.—Bowstring Joe, the Chippewa Indian witness in the murder trial of another Indian, Goggle Eye, who was charged with killing a white man, John Caldwell, early last fall, and who, when called to the stand to testify a few days ago, created a sensation by declaring he himself was the murderer, has been acquitted by the jury.

Goggle Eye was acquitted at once upon the confession of Bowstring and the jury has now acquitted the latter. Bowstring's manly attitude and the explanation that he killed Caldwell for making improper advances to Mrs. Bowstring prejudiced the jury strongly in his favor.

DULUTH YOUTHS SENTENCED

One Given Life and the Other Thirty Years.

Duluth, Jan. 30.—Charles Melodrowski will spend the rest of his life at Stillwater and Algot Johnson will spend thirty years there for the shooting of Officer Harry Cheshmore of the police department when they escaped from the officer on a street car on the morning of Jan. 6.

Justice moved quickly in this case. Just twenty-two days after the crime had been committed the two boy bandits who held up the night clerk and porter of the McKay hotel, bound them to posts, rifled the cash register and later, in an attempt to escape, shot and killed the officer, have been tried, found guilty and sentenced.

BICKFORD IS BOUND OVER

Former Treasurer of North Dakota Held for Trial.

Bismarck, N. D., Jan. 30.—Former State Treasurer G. L. Bickford was bound over to the district court on the charge of having embezzled more than \$60,000 of the state funds during the time he has been in office for the past two years. The preliminary hearing before the justice of the peace continued over a period of two days and was hard fought.

Bickford's bonds of \$10,000 were continued until the May term of the district court.

Pioneer Woman Dies.

Salem, S. D., Jan. 30.—At the home of her son-in-law, C. N. Clark, in McCook county, occurred the death of Mrs. Scarinia Halstead, who had attained the age of ninety-six years, three months and five days. She was married in 1834, her husband dying in 1847, eight children having been born to them.

ENGLAND FEARS INDIAN MUTINY

Arms and Ammunition Being Smuggled Into India.

FIGHTING IN PERSIAN GULF

Bloody Battles With Gun Runners in Which a Score or More British Blue-jackets Have Been Killed Are Signs of Organized Conspiracy—British Garrisons Being Strengthened and Native Regiments Weeded of Disloyal Men.

London, Jan. 30.—India is arming and the British government is seriously alarmed at the outlook. The recent seizure of thousands of modern rifles, being smuggled into India, the bloody battles which have been fought with gun runners in the Persian Gulf, in which a score or more of British blue-jackets have lost their lives, are but the outward manifestations of a thoroughly organized and widespread conspiracy to arm the dissatisfied Indians and ultimately to rise against the British government.

The most extraordinary precautions are being taken to meet any emergency which may arise. Not only have the most efficient secret agents available been put to work to ferret out the service of supply of the gun runners, but the British regiments are being quietly strengthened and native regiments are being weeded of all whose absolute loyalty there is the faintest suspicion.

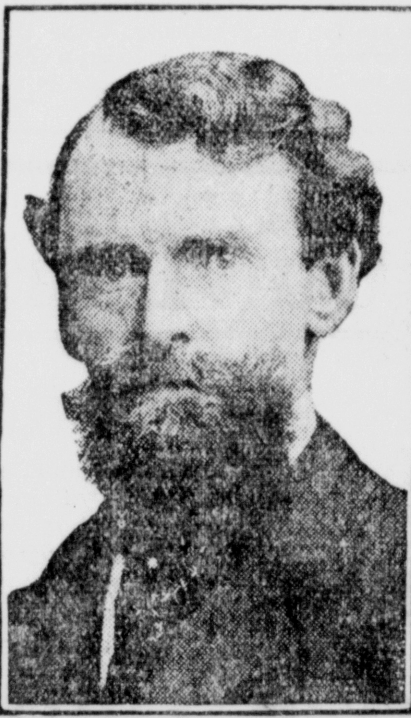
Administration reforms tending to allay the dissatisfaction among the Indians are being introduced and it is possible an outbreak may be avoided.

It is this which has led to the determination of King George and Queen Mary to go to India for the great coronation durbur next year.

One thing is certain England will not be taken unawares as she was at the time of the great mutiny.

EX-SENATOR CLARK.

Expected to Again Become a Candidate in Montana.



CLARK MAY ENTER CONTEST

Closely Watching Senatorial Situation at Helena.

Butte, Mont., Jan. 30.—W. A. Clark is said to be once more on the point of announcing himself a candidate for United States senator from Montana. For the last six weeks the "Old Man," as he is familiarly called by politicians here, has been quietly watching the progress of events in Helena, awaiting the psychological moment to come forth as a healer of the breach in the Democratic ranks and save the state for his party.

It appears the time is not quite ripe for springing the "coup" and the launching of the Clark boom may be delayed for a week or two longer.

A Rare Bird.

Lady—Does this parrot talk well? Dealer—No, but he's a wonderful listener.—Sourire.

English Printers Strike.

London, Jan. 30.—The general strike in the job printing trade is already under way and the number of employees involved will be rapidly increased in a few days when strike notices expire. The men have been offered a working week of fifty-two hours, but they demand a maximum of fifty hours.

Killed Looting Gambling House.

San Francisco, Jan. 30.—Bankrupted by his losses in gambling, which his wife and young son had vainly begged the police to stop, Gustave Postler held up the bank at the Saratoga Social club and was shot dead in a revolver fight with Edward Kripp, proprietor of the resort.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT.

To Succeed Earl Grey as Governor General of Canada.



MISS TILLMAN IS ENGAGED

Daughter of Senator to Wed New Jersey Man.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Senator and Mrs. Benjamin R. Tillman announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Lona Tillman, to Charles Sumner Moore of Atlantic City. The wedding probably will take place early in April at Trenton, S. C., the Tillman home.

Miss Tillman is the eldest daughter of the senator and has spent several winters in this city with her parents.

Mr. Moore is the son of Hannah Moore of Mays Landing, N. J. He is a lawyer and nephew of Judge Joseph Thompson.

SPEAKER OPPOSES PLAN OF ADJUSTMENT

Boundary Dispute Between Wisconsin and Minnesota.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 30.—Opposition to the plan to have a joint committee of the Wisconsin and Minnesota legislatures settle the boundary dispute involving Lake Pepin in the Mississippi river and the St. Louis river at Duluth-Superior has developed in the session of Speaker C. E. Ingram. The scheme was advocated to Governor McGovern in a letter from Attorney General Bancroft, after the latter, through Deputy Attorney General Jackson, had reached a tentative agreement with Attorney General Simpson of Minnesota.

The controversy over the exact location of the boundary in Lake Pepin, which is virtually a "widespread" in the Mississippi according to Wisconsin's contention, already has been taken to the United States supreme court for adjudication and the other boundary matter will be included if the legislative conference plan falls through.

Speaker Ingram, whose district includes that part of Lake Pepin which lies in Wisconsin, is against the scheme, which presumes hard sledding for it if the governor decides to recommend it to the legislature. The speaker maintains Wisconsin has nothing to concede, as the organic act of 1847 located the boundary in the center of the main channel and that channel definitely runs close to the Minnesota shore. Minnesota, on the contrary, holds that Pepin is really a lake and that the Gopher state therefore has jurisdiction to its middle.

This would bring the boundary much closer to the Wisconsin side and seriously affect the important industry of seining rough fish along the eastern shore, which is carried on winter and summer, and amounts to millions of dollars.

WEST VIRGINIA IS EXCITED

Republican Governor and Democratic Legislature at War.

Charleston, W. Va., Jan. 30.—Threats to attempt to impeach Governor William E. Glasscock, together with veiled counter threats by the governor to call out the state militia to enforce his orders, have worked this state up into a political frenzy. The battle between the Democratic legislature and the Republican governor reached a climax in the election of two United States senators, to whom Glasscock refused to issue credentials on the ground that the elections were illegal.

American Dentist Dies in Paris

Paris, Jan. 30.—Dr. John Evans, an American dentist residing in Paris, died here. He was a nephew of Dr. Thomas W. Evans, who died in 1897, leaving about \$6,000,000 to the city of Philadelphia for the erection of the Thomas W. Evans museum and dental college.

Lucky Man.

"I'm certainly a lucky man." "How so?" "I had on my good clothes yesterday morning when my wife made her collection for the rummage sale. She couldn't give any but old stuff away."—Detroit Free Press.

CONGRESS HAS THANKED FORTY

All but One of These Men Honored For Services in War.

VANDERBILT ONE OF THEM.

Commodore's Gift of \$800,000 Steamship Recognized by Resolution—In Many Cases Medals Went With the Thanks—Navy and Army Have Been About Equally Honored.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Jan. 30.—[Special.]—The proposition to give a vote of thanks to Captain Robert E. Peary for discovering the north pole has aroused considerable interest in the men who have thus been honored by congress, and an investigation of the records shows that forty men have thus been named. With one exception the honor went to men who have rendered distinguished services in time of war, and to nearly all for services in actual conflict.

Five officers of the army and one civilian were voted thanks for services in the war of 1812 and three officers of the army for services in the Mexican war. One officer of the navy was voted thanks for services against Tripoli, two for services in the war of 1812 and one for services in the Spanish war.

Is the Highest Honor.

It should be stated, however, that many officers of the navy were recognized by congress in resolutions, and gold medals were awarded for services in the war of 1812, nearly all of the heroes on the sea in that conflict receiving such honorable mention. On several occasions medals were also voted with the thanks. The latter, however, is considered the highest honor congress can confer. It entitles the person thanked to the privileges of the floor of the house and senate, a distinction granted only to ambassadors and ministers, governors and members of the highest legislative bodies of foreign countries.

On several occasions the vote of thanks has been denied, as in the case of then Commander Winfield S. Schley for rescuing the Greely party in the arctic regions.

Who Received the Thanks.

The army officers of the civil war who were given the thanks of congress were: Generals Ulysses S. Grant, William T. Sherman (twice), Philip H. Sheridan, George H. Thomas, George G. Meade, Winfield S. Hancock, Oliver O. Howard, Ambrose E. Burnside, Joseph Hooker, Nathaniel P. Banks, William S. Rosecrans, Nathaniel Lyon and Lieutenant Colonel Joseph Bailey. All save the last two were major generals when they were accorded the honor.

The navy officers were: Admirals David G. Farragut (twice), David D. Porter (three times), Rear Admirals Silas N. Stringham, Commodore Caldwell, Ringgold and Charles Henry Davis, Captains John A. Winslow, John Rodgers, Stephen C. Rowan, Samuel F. du Pont, Andrew H. Foote (twice), Louis M. Goldsborough, Commander John L. Worden (twice) and Lieutenant William B. Cushing. The thanks of congress were given to Winslow for the destruction of the Alabama by the Kearsarge. Worden was in command of the Monitor in the battle with the Merrimack in Hampton Roads.

Cornelius Vanderbilt received the thanks of congress during the Civil war for giving a steamship costing \$800,000 to the government.

Heroes of War of 1812.

The officers of the army who received the thanks of congress for services in the war of 1812 were Generals Andrew Jackson, William Henry Harrison, Jacob Brown, E. P. Gaines and Alexander Macomb. The same resolution that carried the name of General Harrison mentioned Governor Isaac Shelby of Kentucky. The naval officers of 1812 were Captains Oliver Hazard Perry and Thomas McDonough for naval victories on Lake Erie and Lake Champlain.

The army officers of the Mexican war who were thanked by congress were Generals Winfield Scott, Zachary Taylor (three times) and John E. Wool. Admiral George Dewey was the only man to receive the thanks of congress for services in the Spanish war. He was honored for the victory in Manila bay.

Commodore Edward Preble was the officer of the navy receiving thanks for services against Tripoli.

Saved Crew of Steamship.

One man has received the thanks of congress for services not connected with war. Captain B. Gleadell of the steamer Atlantic was so honored in 1874 for saving the crew of the brigantine Scotland, of Portland, Me., during a great storm in midocean.

Four of the men, Jackson, Harrison, Taylor and Grant, who received the thanks of congress afterward became presidents.

Many of the resolutions were very fulsome in their praise of the officers who were thanked by congress, but none more so than those to General Scott. It appears that the three resolutions for Taylor were voted before Scott took active command, and congress made it up to him in language.

Admiral Porter's exploits on the Mississippi and at Fort Fisher were responsible for his three votes of thanks, while Admiral Farragut's operations at the mouth of the Mississippi and in Mobile bay were twice recognized.

Grumblers.

People who grumble in cloudy weather usually wear veils when the sun shines.

ISAAC WOODYARD.

Foreman of Grand Jury Investigating Danville (Ill.) Vote Buying.



Photo by American Press Association.

PROBE IS NEARING AN END

No Results Expected From Inquiry at Danville, Ill.

Danville, Ill., Jan. 30.—According to semi-official announcement the work to be taken up this week by the Vermilion county grand jury will be the last of the vote trafficking inquiry that remains within its jurisdiction.

Unless the examination of witnesses still to be heard results in a general breakdown of enough witnesses to open a wide general inquiry even the court officials believe no definite results can be expected.

It was said the indictment of a county official not generally known to be under investigation would be voted as an indirect result of the vote buying investigation.

MAIL CLERKS WILL REMAIN AT WORK

Steps Taken to Secure Redress of Grievances.

St. Paul, Jan. 30.—There will be no walkout of the railway mail clerks of the Northwest at present.

This was decided at the mass meeting of the clerks held here. Upwards of 150 members of the order were in attendance, representing eight states, including Minnesota, North and South Dakota, Montana, Iowa, Illinois, Wisconsin.

Besides deciding not to walk out at this time the clerks took the first steps toward the formation of a permanent organization in the Northwest and also passed a couple of resolutions, one of them calling for a congressional investigation and the other calling upon the officials of the post-office department for redress of grievances.

The meeting was held in complete secrecy, neither the time nor the place being divulged. The names of those who attended were also withheld, but at the close of the session J. L. Thornton, business agent of the local clerks, announced the results of the meeting. Mr. Thornton was unanimously chosen as the local representative of the clerks of the entire Northwest and empowered to act for them in whatever capacity may be necessary to further the work of the order.

SWINDLING GAME SUCCEEDS

Bismarck Merchant a Loser in Check Transaction.

Bismarck, N. D., Jan. 30.—Police of the western part of the state are looking for Ed Clements of New York. Clements, as he was registered at a local hotel, purchased more than \$300 worth of goods at a local jewelry store and presented a check for \$46 more than the purchase called for and in change was given a check made out by the local firm. Clements left out for the jeweler to deliver his purchases at a hotel after they had found out about the check. Later in the day it was discovered the man had made a \$4 purchase at the jeweler's check in payment. It was found Clements had no account at the James River National bank at Jamestown, upon which institution his check was drawn.

Americans in Persian Jobs.

London, Jan. 30.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg to the Times says it is understood Russia will assent to the selection of Americans as financial assistants to the Persian government on condition that this does not create a precedent for the admission of financial advisers from European powers.

Governor Johnson Memorial

St. Paul, Jan. 30.—The Governor John A. Johnson memorial will be located on the triangular grass plot west of the approach to the main entrance of the state capitol and between Wabasha street and the Capitol drive. The sculptor will be Andrew O'Connor of Paris. Decisions on these points were reached by the Johnson Memorial commission at a meeting held at the St. Paul Institute.

EMBARRASSED BY CANADA TREATY

SURPRISED AT ARCHBISHOP

Wife of English Church's Head Will Christen New Dreadnaught.

London, Jan. 30.—The announcement is made that the wife of the archbishop of Canterbury is to christen the dreadnaught under construction beside the Thames. This arrangement is exciting most unfavorable comment, even in church circles, where, while the demands of patriotism are fully recognized, still it is thought the wife of the head of the English church, which preaches peace and good will, should not be identified with such a function.

The nonconformists are rubbing their hands over the incident and are surprised the astute, diplomatic archbishop should have failed to realize the equivocal light in which his wife's association with the launching of the engine of destruction will place the established church.

AUSTRIAN EMPEROR IS ILL

Condition Regarded More Serious Than Reported.

Vienna, Jan. 30.—Despite efforts to make it appear that Emperor Francis Joseph is suffering from a severe cold it is no secret his majesty's condition is considered really grave.

It is known both the German emperor and the Russian czar have given explicit orders to their representatives here to be kept constantly informed as to the condition of the aged emperor.

PENSION FOR KING EMANUEL

Government Allows Deposed Monarch \$3,300 a Month.

Lisbon, Jan. 30.—The Diario de Noticias announces that the Portuguese government has decided to pay a monthly pension of \$3,300 to the deposed King Emanuel. A check for the months of October, November and December already has been sent to him.

WHITE SLAVE BILL SIGNED

Drastic Measure to Suppress Vice in Montana.

Helena, Mont., Jan. 30.—Senator Donlan's white slave bill, the most drastic measure ever enacted in the Northwest for the suppression of this vice, was signed by Governor Edwin L. Norris. The offense is made a felony.

Inducing a woman or girl to enter a house of ill repute is also deemed felonious and is punishable by imprisonment for from two to twenty years.

Procuring, enticing or attempting to entice a woman or girl for immoral purposes constitutes a felony under the Donlan bill.

For those of either sex who receive money for procuring women or girls, penitentiary punishment is provided.

WOMAN LAWYER DIES RICH

Mrs. Ella Knowles Haskell of Butte Leaves Fortune.

Butte, Mont., Jan. 30.—Mrs. Ella Knowles Haskell, aged fifty-four years, the foremost woman lawyer in Montana, died of a complication of diseases. She was instrumental in securing the enactment of the law permitting women to practice at the Montana bar. She was a member of the Bar association and of half a dozen different woman orders. She was successful in her practice and leaves a fortune. She also was prominent in mining ventures and of recognized ability in mining litigation.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Minneapolis Wheat. Minneapolis, Jan. 28.—Wheat—May, \$1.03 1/2 @ 1.03 3/4; July, \$1.04 1/2 @ 1.04 3/4. On track—No. 1 hard, \$1.05 1/2; No. 1 Northern, \$1.02 1/2 @ 1.04; No. 2 Northern, 99 1/2 c @ 1.02 1/2; No. 3 Northern, 97 1/2 c @ 1.00 1/2.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Jan. 28.—Wheat—On track and to arrive—No. 1 hard, \$1.05 1/2; No. 1 Northern, \$1.04 1/2; No. 2 Northern, \$1.01 1/2 @ 1.02 1/2; May, \$1.05 1/2; July, \$1.06. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$2.64; May, \$2.60.

St. Paul Live Stock.

St. Paul, Jan. 28.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$5.50 @ 6.50; fair to good, \$5.00 @ 5.50; good to choice cows and heifers, \$4.50 @ 5.25; veals, \$6.50 @ 7.75. Hogs—\$7.50 @ 7.60. Sheep—Wethers, \$3.25 @ 4.00; yearlings, \$4.00 @ 5.00; spring lambs, \$5.00 @ 5.90.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Jan. 28.—Wheat—May, 97 1/2 c; July, 94 1/2 c; Sept., 93 c. Corn—May, 49 1/2 c; July, 50 1/2 c; Sept., 51 1/2 c. Oats—May, 34 1/2 c; July, 34 1/2 c; Sept., 33 1/2 c. Pork—May, \$18.37; July, \$17.30. Butter—Creameries, 17 @ 25; dairies, 16 @ 22 c. Eggs—18 1/2 @ 24 c. Poultry—Turkeys, 15 @ 21 c; chickens, 12 @ 13 c; springs, 11 1/2 @ 12 c.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 28.—Cattle—Beeves, \$4.75 @ 7.00; Texas steers, \$4.15 @ 5.30; Western steers, \$4.50 @ 5.70; stockers and feeders, \$3.70 @ 5.70; cows and heifers, \$2.50 @ 6.00; calves, \$7.25 @ 9.25. Hogs—Light, \$7.70 @ 7.95; mixed, \$7.65 @ 8.00; heavy, \$7.50 @ 7.85; rough, \$7.50 @ 7.70; good to choice heavy, \$7.70 @ 8.85; pigs, \$7.60 @ 8.00. Sheep—Native, \$2.50 @ 4.10; yearlings, \$4.50 @ 5.60; lambs, \$4.25 @ 6.15.

Republicans in Congress Are in a Predicament.

FEAR WRATH OF THE FARMERS

Standpatters Believe the Party Will Be Disrupted if the Ratification Programme Is Carried Out—Progressives Admit the Agreement Is in Line With Their Policy, but Have Their Doubts About the Views of the Agriculturalists.

Washington, Jan. 30.—Embarrassed is a mild word to define the predicament in which Republican members of congress have found themselves since President Taft submitted his programme for a commercial reciprocity with Canada.

High protectionists, confident of the sympathy of the executive, have not hesitated to go to the White House with predictions that the party will be disrupted if the programme is insisted upon. Progressive Republicans, many of whom have been pursuing the policy of silence, are ready to admit that the proposed agreement is in line with their tariff argument in the past, but they fear to adopt it lest they bring upon their heads the wrath of agriculturalists.

President Taft appears to be the only one who is showing no concern about the situation. He is said to have met all arguments against the agreement with a determination to disregard mere political objections, whether they come from standpatters or progressives. He believes what he has recommended to be right and he continues so to believe he cannot be dissuaded from using every force at his command to advance legislation to put the agreement into operation. That President Taft realized fully what arguments would be advanced by protectionists against freedom of trade relations with Canada is proven by the fact that not a single member of the ways and means committee of the house or the finance committee of the senate was apprised in advance as to what articles would be affected by the treaty.

His consultations were held exclusively with the government trade experts and only such of those as were believed to be outside of political influence.

COUNTLESS FLOGS CASHIER

Official of Alaska Bank Given Unmerciful Whipping.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 30.—Lured to a room in the Hotel Archibald on the pretense that an old Alaskan friend wished to see him A. F. Ruser, cashier of the Dome City bank of Dome City, Alaska, was set upon by two huskies and held on a bed while he was beaten up and unmercifully flogged with a horsewhip by Countess Charbonneau.

The countess and her sister wrested a fortune out of the frozen North, the countess marrying a French count, who is now serving a sentence in Paris, according to reports, for being mixed up in a mining scandal in the French capital.

The Dome City bank recently began a sensational suit against Miss Margaret Mulrooney, sister of the countess, for the alleged conversion and theft of stock certificates worth \$10,500.

CAUSED BY ESCAPING GAS

Three Wisconsin People Found Dead in Bed.

Green Bay, Wis., Jan. 30.—Going to the home of her parents to make them a visit Mrs. Lipstein found her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Frank B. Jobilious, seventy and seventy-seven years old, dead in bed and Michael Plaskowski, her half brother, in an adjoining room in the same condition. Death was due to asphyxiation caused by escaping coal gas from a small coal stove in the living room.

Mrs. Jobilious was partly out of bed and it is thought she made an effort to reach a window, but could not gather the strength.

NOTED AUTHORESS NO MORE

Elizabeth Stuart Phelps Ward Dies at Her Bay State Home.

Newton, Mass., Jan. 30.—Elizabeth Stuart Phelps Ward, widely known author and lecturer, died at her home in Newton Center after a short illness. Her husband, Horbert Ward, was in the South when she was taken ill and he has not yet reached home.

Mrs. Ward was born in Boston Aug. 31, 1844, the daughter of Rev. Augustin and Elizabeth Stuart Phelps. She began to write for the press when but thirteen years of age.

She was the author of many books, her first, "The Gipsy Series," of four volumes, appearing in 1869.

Old Time Packer Dies.

Kansas City, Jan. 30.—Joseph Whitaker, eighty-four years old, died here. He was among those who started the first packing plants in Cincinnati in 1865. He established the first meat packing plant in this section at Leaworth, Kan.

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 a trip to Stevens Point and Winona.
 C. A. Neumann, the Duluth mining
 man, returned home this afternoon.
 Mrs. George Ridley returned Satur-
 day from a visit with her parents at
 Aitkin.

The weather report reads: "Fair
 tonight and Tuesday, rising temper-
 ature."

Miss Enza Britton went to Jen-
 kins Saturday afternoon to visit with
 friends.

Miss Jule O'Brien returned this
 afternoon to her studies at the uni-
 versity.

W. A. Rouchleau, of Minneapolis,
 is in the city today attending to busi-
 ness matters.

Mrs. P. E. Smith, the guest of Mrs.
 Wm. Bieging, has returned to her
 home in Crow Wing.

R. A. Wilson, of Aitkin, was in
 the city Saturday and attended the
 meeting of the Orientals.

William Rose of Northeast Brainerd,
 had an operation performed on his
 foot and is sick in bed.

H. J. Ernster, cashier of the First
 National bank of Deerwood, is in the
 city transacting business.

Leonard and Miss Vivian Donovan
 returned to Duluth after a pleasant
 visit with Miss Nora Hurley.

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Miss Maude Mills, the guest of her
 brother, Lewis Mills, returned this
 afternoon to her home in Mission.

M. J. Reilly, of the Detroit Groce-
 ry Co., was in the city Saturday
 especially to attend the Oriental ses-
 sion.

George Gardner, the court report-
 er, went to Grand Rapids this after-
 noon where Judge Wright is holding
 court.

James Browers came from Crosby
 Saturday and returned this morning.
 He has large terming contracts in
 that town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Smith and son,
 of Bemidji, arrived Saturday from
 Bemidji to spend Sunday with relatives
 and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Bailey, who have
 been visiting at New York Mills, re-
 turned this afternoon to their home
 in Crow Wing.

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Supt. E. C. Blanchard arrived Sat-
 urday in his private car and stopped at
 the N. P. hospital to visit his wife
 who is ill there.

Rev. C. C. Warner, of Crookston,
 arrived Saturday noon and spoke both
 morning and evening at the First
 Congregational church services.

Mrs. E. B. McCullough, formerly a
 resident of Brainerd, arrived Sat-
 urday from Memphis, Tenn., and will
 be the guest of Mrs. R. J. Hartley.

Fred Peterson, who visited his par-
 ents a few days, went to Duluth this
 afternoon and from there will re-
 turn to his work in Oshkosh, Wis.

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 cold poisons the whole system.
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 cold. Sold by Skague Drug Co.,
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H. G. Cuneo, of St. Paul, the man-
 ager of the Hormel Packing Co., was
 in the city today attending to busi-
 ness matters connected with his com-
 pany.

Robert Kluge, of Little Falls, re-
 turned home today after a short visit
 with his friends Albert Blomberg,
 Charles Peterson and Ben Samuelson,
 brother plasterers.

M. D. Stoner came from Bemidji
 this noon. He is making good pro-
 gress with his electric light plant
 in Deerwood and will soon be able
 to furnish current.

Pete Cummins, who injured a
 thumb in machinery at the coal
 dock of the N. P. shops, was taken
 to the sanitarium and the thumb re-
 moved from his left hand.

Ralph Richmond, the young son of
 Mr. and Mrs. James Richmond, of
 Pequot, was brought to Brainerd this
 noon suffering with pneumonia and
 was removed to St. Joseph's hospital.

Frank Kulmala, the missing Fin-
 lander who disappeared January 10,
 has not been located. There was a
 rumor that he had been found on the
 western Mesabe range, but it proved
 to be groundless.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hazen arrived
 in the city on Saturday night to visit
 Mrs. Hazen's parents, Mr. and Mrs.
 N. B. Chase. Mr. Hazen returned to
 Duluth this morning while Mrs. Haz-
 en will remain for some days.

George Anderson and Harry Herm-
 anson left Saturday for Aitkin to see
 if arrangements could be made to
 present the play, "Not in the Regu-
 lar Army," in that town. This play
 made a hit at the Y. M. C. A. carnival.

John Larson is local agent for
 Scott Briquets, a new and very eco-
 nomical fuel. A car load has just
 arrived. Send in an order and try it.
 158-tf

The Loyal Link society of the
 Swedish Methodist church will give
 a musical program on Thursday eve-
 ning. Rev. Oscar Challman, the
 former pastor, will be present. All
 are cordially invited to attend the en-
 tertainment.

Mr. and Mrs. Parker Waite went
 to Little Falls Saturday to attend the
 wedding of their son Roy and Miss
 Bessie Rothwell, who formerly taught
 school near Sylvan. They were ac-
 companied to Little Falls by Fre-
 mond Turcotte.

Knights of Columbus of Brainerd to
 the number of 40 visited at St.

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Cloud Sunday and attended the in-
 itiation of a large class of candidates.
 The Brainerd Knights returned home
 early this morning traveling in a
 special coach.

Miss Belle Titus, of Northeast
 Brainerd, celebrated her 11th birth-
 day last week and 15 young friends
 were present at the party. They
 gave her many beautiful gifts. Re-
 freshments were served and all en-
 joyed a most pleasant afternoon.

Arthur Gorton, of 1011 Sixth av-
 enue, Northeast, has returned from
 Crosby where he worked as a mason
 tender. A. A. Roberts, the Duluth
 contractor, has started the brick
 work on the new hotel which will be
 almost as large as the Spalding hotel
 of that town.

The late Deputy Sheriff Harry Mc-
 Cabe, of Walker, was also a member
 of the local Modern Woodmen, Camp
 No. 2337, and carried a \$2,000 in-
 surance policy. He was initiated
 over 17 years ago and when he re-
 moved to Walker he still continued
 membership in the Brainerd camp.

The sale of Red Cross Seals in this
 city amounted to \$156.00, \$20.00 in
 excess of last year. The Ladies Musi-
 cal club had charge of the sale, and
 the ladies desire to thank all who
 assisted in making the sale a success.

The Travel Class of the Ladies Musi-
 cal club will meet with Mrs. Cobb
 this evening.

Dr. Mary Towers, of Minneapolis,
 has arrived and will speak this eve-
 ning at a meeting held in Citizens
 State bank hall under the auspices of
 the Woman's Union Label League.

She is said to be a very gifted and
 eloquent speaker and will no doubt
 draw a large audience. The meet-
 ing will commence at eight o'clock.

The Misses Norah Hurley and An-
 na Brose gave a farewell party and
 dance Wednesday evening, Jan. 25,
 upon the occasion of Miss Mae Mur-
 phy, leaving the city, for her new
 home in Chisholm. Among the
 guests were Maurice S. Rifkin, of
 New York; Leonard and Vivian Don-
 ovan, of Duluth; Edith Plauts, of
 Wadena, and Roy Garr, of Hewitt.

TONIGHT'S PROGRAM W. U. L. L.

Dr. Mary Towers, of Minneapolis,
 Speaks Tonight at Citizens State
 Bank Hall

Dr. Mary Towers, of Minneapolis,
 speaks tonight at the Citizens bank
 hall under the auspices of the Wo-
 man's Union Label League. Her ad-
 dress will be on "Unionism" and as
 she is thoroughly conversant with in-
 dustrial situations in Minnesota her
 address will be of more than usual
 interest. No admission fee will be
 charged. The program includes the
 following numbers:

1. Piano solo—P. H. Weilbacher
2. Duet—Towers Bros
3. Vocal solo—Fred Swanson
4. Violin solo—Jennie Zakariasen
5. Vocal solo—Kathleen Graham
6. Lecture on "Unionism"—
7. Vocal solo—Dr. Mary Towers
8. Vocal solo—Miss Patti Hamelin
9. Song—Imperial Quartette
10. Vocal solo—Miss Newgord
11. Instrumental solo—Miss Warner

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 who has not heard the story of the
 Dutch painter, I tell it," says Elithu
 Vadder in the Atlantic.

"A person calling on this painter
 heard a most infernal uproar in his
 studio. Things seemed to be falling
 and brass plates flying about, and there
 were loud shouts.

"The servant came to the door in a
 state of great anxiety and told the vis-
 itor at once that the master could not
 be disturbed.
 "I should think he couldn't be much
 more than he is," said the visitor. "But
 what under the sun is the matter?"
 "He is painting a sky."

A Student of the Drama.
 It was at a performance of "Mac-
 beth" and the three weird sisters had
 just made their first appearance and
 chanted their uncanny incantations
 when a handsomely dressed, intelli-
 gent-looking woman in the third row
 turned to her escort and inquired,
 "What's the idea in having those
 witches?"—New York Press.

MONEY ORDER RATES INCREASED

Commencing Feb. 1st Scale of Fees
 for International Money Orders
 is Slightly Increased

After the first of next month the
 cost of sending money from this
 country to foreign postoffices will be
 slightly greater than at present. The
 increase in fees for international
 money is not a uniform one nor has
 it been made by the addition of any
 set percentage of the present rates.

The new schedule is as follows:
 For all orders sent the countries
 named the rates given are to be
 charged: Apia, Austria, Belgium,
 Bolivia, Cape Colony, Costa Rica,
 Denmark, Egypt, Germany, Great
 Britain, Honduras, Hongkong, Hun-
 gary, Italy, Japan, Siberia, Luxem-
 burg, New South Wales, New Zea-
 land, Orange River, Queensland, Rus-
 sia, Salvador, South Australia,
 Switzerland, Tasmania, The Trans-
 vaal, Uruguay, Victoria:

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| \$.01 to \$.25 | 10 cents |
| 2.51 to 5.00 | 15 cents |
| 5.01 to 7.50 | 20 cents |
| 7.51 to 10.00 | 25 cents |
| 10.01 to 15.00 | 30 cents |
| 15.01 to 20.00 | 35 cents |
| 20.01 to 30.00 | 40 cents |
| 30.01 to 40.00 | 45 cents |
| 40.01 to 50.00 | 50 cents |
| 50.01 to 60.00 | 55 cents |
| 60.01 to 70.00 | 60 cents |
| 70.01 to 80.00 | 65 cents |
| 80.01 to 90.00 | 70 cents |
| 90.01 to 100.00 | 75 cents |

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 tioned below, the rates given will be-
 come effective: Chili, France, Al-
 geria and Tunis, Greece, Netherlands,
 Norway, Sweden:

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| \$.01 to \$10.00 | 10 cents |
| 10.01 to 20.00 | 20 cents |
| 20.01 to 30.00 | 30 cents |
| 30.01 to 40.00 | 40 cents |
| 40.01 to 50.00 | 50 cents |
| 50.01 to 60.00 | 60 cents |
| 60.01 to 70.00 | 70 cents |
| 70.01 to 80.00 | 80 cents |
| 80.01 to 90.00 | 90 cents |
| 90.01 to 100.00 | 1.00 |

MUSIC AND DRAMA

At The Garnd

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 a high class attraction. The mov-
 ing pictures for the first part of the
 week are of a high grade of merit.
 "The Woman's Vanity" will interest
 the ladies as it shows a French con-
 ception of a hobbie skirt. "The Golf
 Fiend" shows to what extremities
 this popular game will lead an en-
 thusiast. "The Song of the Wild-
 wood Flute" is an Indian love story
 and its setting and scenery are su-
 perb. The scorned rival in the end
 unites the two lovers and turns the
 medicine man's head to the wall.
 "On a Sunday Evening" is the il-
 lustrated song which was received
 with much favor.

"Miss Nobody From Starland"
 Mort H. Singer has spared neither
 pains nor money to give "Miss No-
 body From Starland" a gorgeous set-
 ting and a notable cast. The scen-
 ery and costumes are pronounced the
 most pretentious ever assembled for
 a Brainerd theatre production. The
 cast is one of extreme excellence and
 contains Olive Vaile as its star. The
 chorus fully maintains the reputation
 of the Singer management of pre-
 senting a bouquet of American beau-
 ties in the big feature numbers. The
 most sensational novelty is a big mus-
 ical comedy dress rehearsal scene.
 Before the performance the stage
 manager calls a rehearsal. "Stars,"
 "stage hands," "comedian," "chorus
 girls," and "boys" and all the back
 stage characters are shown as in real
 life. And such a rehearsal! It
 shows the stage manager a "Czar"
 before whom everybody bows. The
 stars fight for "line" and "laughs,"
 the author protests when his book is
 "cut" the chorus forget their busi-
 ness and the stage hands fall down
 on their "props."

But the stage manager is undaun-
 ted and finally the curtain goes up
 on a mock performance. Here is
 more fun. The audience sees the
 performance from behind the scenes
 and witnesses the desperation of the
 stage manager when the actors for-

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get their lines and cues, stage hands
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 comes when one stage hand forgets
 to turn on the "rain storm" which
 is supposed to be the "piece de-resistance"
 of the production, until the
 curtain is down, and the stage man-
 ager is yelling like a wild man,
 "Where the Hell is the rain storm?"

"Miss Nobody From Starland" will
 be seen at the Brainerd opera house
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 16th. The management suggests
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 lege, anyway? You are not studying.
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57 ORIENTALS ARE INITIATED

The Ceremonies are Held on Saturday Evening at the Citizens State Bank Hall

DEERWOOD CLASS WAS DELAYED

Freight Engineer was no Oriental or He Would Have Stopped to Take on Deerwood Delegation

The Orientals held their annual meeting Saturday evening at the Citizens State bank hall and initiated a large class of members. The elaborate and refined ceremonies of this great and powerful order were presented in a beautiful manner and all the lessons taught were so clearly and unequivocally illustrated that none could doubt their meaning.

The officers of the Oriental order who participated in the ceremonies of the evening were:

Grand Orient—Judge J. T. Sanborn.

Grand Vice Orient—Judge W. A. Fleming.

Grand High Priest—J. J. Nolan.

Grand Vizier—Col. C. D. Johnson.

Secretary—Charles H. Rattinger.

Grand Inner Guard—Judge C. A. Albright.

Grand Outer Watch—George Sargent.

Three degrees were conferred upon the 57 novices and some of these, it seems, secured several additional degrees. The writer was carried to the 95th or Nth equation and his wife did not know him when he returned. All the way home he murmured the secret formula "O. M. A." An iron bound and steel riveted oath bound him and any other novice from revealing the awful meaning of these mysterious letters.

Grand Vizier C. D. Johnson delivered an exhaustive address on the origin of the order and traced its phenomenal growth in Brainerd. After his profound and antiquarian researches in the Brainerd as well as the Capital library at St. Paul, he was forced to admit that he could not find the name of its founder. His name was so deeply shrouded in mystery that no one knew him. He spoke of its teachings and the morals it inculcated and then, in his habitual style of impressionistic word painting, described the order's far-reaching benefits.

His peroration, a dizzy flight of eloquence which carried his auditors to the highest pinnacles of oratory and kept them hovering in mid air, concluded with these significant words: "May the original of our proud emblem never fail to rise when the occasion presents itself."

Other speakers shed eloquence like sparks from a rapidly revolving emery wheel. An appetizing luncheon was served, being thoroughly enjoyed by the many diners, who clustered about the numerous small tables. Cigars were passed and quarts of mineral water disappeared as quickly as though poured on the hot, parched sands of the desert.

The candidates, 57 in number, who were given the three Oriental degrees embrace the following: F. S. Graham, P. A. Young, T. H. Conside, H. G. Ingersoll, W. L. Bakilla, T. J. Sykora, Pat Coffield, John Gilmore, C.

D. Sheldon, C. A. Cheney, Wm. McCarthy, Fred Anderson, Al. C. Mraz, Silver Swanson, E. H. Lawton, M. E. Hitch, L. Knudson, J. W. Tamm, James Davis, George Cossette, J. O. Nelson, Joseph Weitzel, F. McNaughton, Louis Molanen, Henry Rosko, Peter Rosko, Ed. Dunn, S. E. English, Walter Wieland, E. A. Arnold, John A. Hoffbauer, A. Reiquam, T. J. Swanson, W. A. Erickson, C. P. Efferty, H. Rounds, A. Hagberg, V. L. Hitch, Louis Gresbeck, L. T. Noggle, F. H. Grant, L. A. Grant, T. C. Alexander, Earl J. Dennis, A. J. Winter, C. M. Dally, Wm. McGee, H. H. Olsson, E. F. Sargent, H. E. Smith, Carl Bopple, W. V. Turcotte, R. P. Walters, C. E. Wheeler, F. S. Curry, George Thiemes, R. A. Wilson, of Aitkin.

The Deerwood delegation of 15 or more candidates headed by Charles G. Osterlund, did not appear because the local freight rushed through that town without a stop. These candidates however, will form the nucleus for another class in the future.

DIST. CONFERENCE SWEDISH LUTHERANS

Held in City at the Swedish Lutheran Church Commencing Saturday Afternoon

SESSION CLOSED THIS NOON

Many Lay Delegates Present—All Officers of District Conference Are Re-elected

The annual session of the Mississippi district of the Augustana Conference of the Swedish Lutheran church was held in Brainerd Saturday, Sunday and Monday. The conference opened with services on Saturday evening at the Swedish Lutheran church, the Rev. B. O. Nelson, of Milaca and the Rev. B. O. Nelson, of Little Falls officiating.

On Sunday communion services were held at 10:30 in the morning. In the afternoon there was a round table discussion led by Rev. P. O. Dahlberg, of Isle, the subject being on the "Individuals Responsibility of Rejecting the Grace of God."

Monday morning was devoted to a business session and practically all the old officers were re-elected as follows:

President—Rev. J. A. Gustafson, of Upsala.

Vice President—Rev. G. A. Ostergreen, of St. Louis.

Secretary—Rev. G. L. Dagner, of Milaca.

Treas.—Rev. P. O. Dahlberg, of Isle.

These ministers and Rev. B. O. Nelson, of Little Falls, and the local representative, Attorney A. T. Larson, were present. The lay delegates were numerous, nearly every church in the district sending a delegate.

Among these were:

Aitkin—K. Olson, J. A. Ecklund, and T. Paulson.

Deerwood—C. F. Petterson.

St. Cloud—John Norstedt.

Milaca—Charles Chelin.

Upsala—G. A. Endbud.

Little Falls—Peter Peterson.

Friedham—John Johnson.

Darling—Hans Johnson.

Pine River—A. N. Anderson.

Brainerd—G. S. Swanson and C. F. Anderson.

ASK \$15,000 FOR SURVEY FOR CANAL

Commission Advises Legislature Channel to Connect Mississippi and Lake Superior Feasible

WOULD GIVE IMMENSE POWER

Slack Water Navigation is by Far Preferable to System of "Canalization," says Report

The Lake Superior and Mississippi River Canal commission, appointed in 1909 by Gov. John A. Johnson, at the request of the legislature, has filed its report with the legislature, declaring a channel to connect the upper Mississippi river with the head of Lake Superior is feasible. The commission asks for an appropriation of \$15,000 for a survey of the upper Mississippi from St. Paul to Sandy lake; for \$5,000 for the removal of sunken logs impeding navigation of the river above Little Falls, and for the creation of a Lake Superior and upper Mississippi river transportation and improvement fund. It suggests this fund can be created by setting aside 5 per cent of the gross earnings tax.

The commission believed the providing of slack water navigation along the natural course of the Mississippi river from St. Paul to Sandy lake by locks and dams is by far preferable to the system of canalization. It is said the canal plan would provide a shorter route, but would be more expensive to maintain than the river course. The \$15,000 appropriation asked also includes provision for obtaining estimates of the cost of lock dams along the river. It is contended these dams would furnish immense power for manufacturing purposes and would enable the transmission of electrical power to villages within 100 miles of the river.

The members of the commission who made the report are: Captain A. H. Reed, Glenocoe; James M. Elder, Brainerd; L. W. Collins, Minneapolis; and A. S. Cutler, of the engineering department of the state university. Governor Eberhart acted as chairman of the commission and A. H. Reed was chairman of the executive committee.

The report calls attention to the report of the Windom committee of the United States Senate in 1872, saying the most feasible channel of commerce to be created or improved by the national government were the Mississippi and a continuous water line from the Mississippi river to New York by way of the Northern lakes. Attention is also called to the government examinations and the surveys of possible locations for a canal to connect the Mississippi with the Great Lakes. The report reads:

"As a waterways artery of commerce from St. Paul to the proposed junction of the proposed canal, your commission finds that to provide for slack water navigation along the natural course of the Mississippi river, by locks and dams, is by far preferable to the system of 'canalization.' While the system of canalization might shorten the distance to quite an extent, it would cost much more to maintain than on the river course."

"The banks of the Mississippi river are generally high above St. Paul, so that lock dams along the river, where required, could be constructed with reasonable expense, for an immense water power, which would be of great value to the state for manufacturing purposes, and for generating electric power that could be supplied to villages within a hundred miles of either side of the river."

In conclusion the commission says: "The project of constructing a canal connecting Lake Superior with the Mississippi river, is not new, but one that has been advocated for many years by public spirited citizens, not only of this state, but thousands of those doing business along the river from St. Paul to New Orleans. The Upper Mississippi River Improvement association, at its annual meeting held at Moline, Ill., Oct. 22 and 23, 1907, strongly indorsed the project, and again at its convention held at Clinton, Ia., in 1908, as well as its important meeting at St. Paul the present year. Wholesale interests of St. Paul, Minneapolis and various towns along the river have been consulted and the general verdict is that the saving in freight charges in a very few years would pay back the entire cost of the canal as well as the cost of improving the river for navigation."

Following are the committee findings and recommendations:

"First—We find that the construction and operation of a canal from the head of Lake Superior to upper Mississippi river is feasible.

"Second—We find the distance from Fond du Lac, at the head of St. Louis by, to the Mississippi river, near Sandy lake, according to the government engineer's report, to be sixty-eight miles.

"Third—We find by the same engineer's report that the construction of a seven-foot barge canal would cost \$9,762,475, and that a steamboat canal would cost in round numbers \$16,000,000.

"Fourth—We find that the distance by the Mississippi river to be from Sandy lake, the proposed junction of the canal, to St. Paul, 255 miles.

"While it may be beyond the requirements of this commission to recommend certain action by your legislative body, we beg your indulgence in making the following recommendation:

"First—That you make an appropriation of \$5,000 for the purpose of

OVER SEA AVIATION RECORDS BROKEN

Special to The Dispatch:—

Key West, Fla., Jan. 30, 1911—All oversea aviation records were broken by J. A. D. McCurdy today, who, in his attempted flight from this place to Havana fell into the sea when but ten miles from his goal, after having covered more than 100 miles of 112 separating the two places. But for running out of lubricating oil the aviator would have easily accomplished the journey, as his motor was working perfectly when he was forced to descend into the sea.

clearing out the dead and sunken logs now impeding and making dangerous for transportation on the upper Mississippi river above Little Falls.

"Second—We would further ask that you make an appropriation of \$15,000 dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary to prosecute a survey of the upper Mississippi from St. Paul to Sandy lake, and to obtain the approximate cost of locks and dams that would afford slack water navigation for steamboats drawing seven feet of water.

"Third—We ask that your honorable body will, in its legislative acts, provide for and create a fund to be known as 'The Lake Superior and Mississippi River Transportation Improvement Fund,' and further suggest that a portion of said fund could be made up advantageously without resorting to the levy of taxes, by requiring that 5 per cent of all the revenues derived from the gross earnings tax from all corporations and public utilities be set aside for that purpose."

INJURED IN RUNAWAY

Mrs. W. B. McGill Thrown From Cutter Sunday Afternoon Near Catholic Church

Mrs. W. B. McGill was thrown from a cutter Sunday afternoon just after she had attended mass at St. Francis Catholic church. Jerry Hogan was driving and Mrs. McGill and a young girl had just stepped in the cutter and Mr. Hogan was about to enter when the horse shied at something and veered around, upsetting the frail cutter and throwing Mrs. McGill and the driver out. The young girl with them jumped out.

Mrs. McGill was removed to the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Lynch, 322 North Ninth street and Drs. Thabes and Sykora summoned who attended her injuries. No bones were broken but she was considerably bruised and is today confined to her home, 416 Northeast Pine street.

Basket Party and Dance

Old fashioned basket party and dance given under the auspices of Brainerd Lodge, No. 142, D. B. S. on Tuesday evening, Jan. 31, at Elks hall. Everybody invited. 20213 COMMITTEE.

SPOKE OF Y. M. C. A.

International Secretary Latshaw Filled Pulpits of Two Churches Sunday

International Secretary of the Y. M. C. A., D. G. Latshaw, of New York city, occupied the pulpits of two of the city churches on Sunday. In the morning he delivered an eloquent address at the Presbyterian church, speaking of "The Twentieth Century Crusade."

In the evening he spoke at the Seventh street Lutheran church taking as the title of his address the word "Go." All who heard him were impressed by his speaking. He also held numerous meetings at the Y. M. C. A. association building and during his short stay was of much benefit and assistance to the local institution. During his tour of the country he is paying special attention to the railway associations of the organization.

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His father fished him out, stripped nearly all the clothing from his body and wrapped it around the drenched boy. The wind was blowing a gale and there was no shelter in the neighborhood. He carried him on his back to a school house and shoved the boy into a window. His feet were frost bitten and two of his toes had turned white.

"If it hadn't been for that school house," said Mr. Adlin, "I am afraid the boy would have frozen his feet. I built a fire there and thawed him out and dried his clothes. It was a case of necessity or we would not have gone into the school house and I shall square up what little damage we may have done to the window sash or pane."

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A pretty home wedding occurred at 10 a. m. today at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Cass, of Baxter, at which time their daughter, Almira Grace Cass, was united in marriage to Allen P. Cass, of Cassburn, Ontario, Canada, by the Rev. Chas. Fox Davis, of the First M. E. church of this city. The wedding ceremony was attended only by the immediate family and the bride and groom left on the 1:30 train for the Twin Cities to visit relatives for a few days before leaving for their future home in Eastern Canada. The bride is a popular and accomplished young lady and her hosts of friends in this city extend congratulations to the newly married couple.

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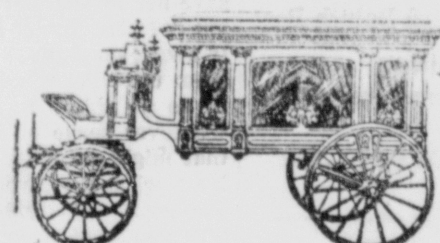
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"Oh, he has them safe enough," replied Stott. "A man like Ryder keeps every scrap of paper, with the idea that it may prove useful some day. The letters are lying somewhere in his desk. Besides, after the Transcontinental decision he was heard to say that he'd have Judge Rossmore off the bench inside of a year."

"And it wasn't a vain boast—he's done it," muttered the judge. Shirley relapsed into silence. Her brain was in a whirl. It was true, then. This merciless man of money, this ogre of monopolistic corporations, this human juggernaut had crushed her father merely because of his honesty? Ah, why had she spared him in her book? She felt now that she had been too lenient, not bitter enough, not sufficiently pitiless. Such a man was entitled to no mercy.

Long after the judge and Stott had left for the city Shirley sat alone on the porch engrossed in thought, taxing her brain to find some way out of the darkness, and when presently her mother and aunt returned they found her still sitting there, silent and preoccupied. If they only had those two letters, she thought. They alone might save her father, but how could they be got? Mr. Ryder had put them safely away, no doubt. He would not give them up. She wondered how it would be to go boldly to him and appeal to whatever sense of honor and fairness that might be lying latent within him. No, such a man would not know what the terms "honor," "fairness" meant. She pondered upon it all day, and at night when she went tired to bed it was her last thought as she dropped off to sleep.

The following morning Shirley went out for a walk. She preferred to go alone so she would not have to talk. Hers was one of those lonely, introspective natures that resent the intrusion of aimless chatter when preoccupied with serious thoughts.

Every now and then Shirley espied in the distance the figure of a man which she thought she recognized as that of Jefferson. Had he come, after all? The blood went coursing tumultuously through her veins only a moment later to leave her face a shade paler as the man came nearer, and she saw he was a stranger.

As she neared the cottage on her return home, she caught sight of the letter carrier approaching the gate. Instantly she thought of Jefferson, and she hurried to intercept the man. Perhaps he had written instead of coming. "Miss Shirley Rossmore?" said the man eying her interrogatively.

"That's I," said Shirley. The postman handed her a letter and passed on. Shirley glanced quickly at the superscription. No, it was not from Jefferson; she knew his handwriting too well. The envelope, moreover, bore the firm name of her publishers. She tore it open and found that it merely contained another letter which the publishers had forwarded. This was addressed to Miss Shirley Green and ran as follows:

Dear Madam—If convenient, I should like to see you at my office, 23 Broadway, in relation to your book, "The American Octopus." Kindly inform me as to the day and hour at which I may expect you. Yours truly,

JOHN BURKETT RYDER.

Shirley almost shouted from sheer excitement. At first she was alarmed—the name John Burkett Ryder was such a booby to frighten bad children with, she thought he might want to punish her for writing about him as she had. She hurried to the porch and sat there reading the letter over and over, and her brain began to evolve ideas. She had been wondering how she could get at Mr. Ryder, and here he was actually asking her to call on him. Evidently he had not the slightest idea of her identity, for he had been able to reach her only through her publishers, and no doubt he had exhausted every other means of discovering her address. The more she pondered over it the more she began to see in this invitation a way of helping her father. Yes, she would go and

heard the lion in his den, but she would not go to his office. She would accept the invitation only on condition that the interview took place in the Ryder mansion, where undoubtedly the letters would be found. She decided to act immediately. No time was to be lost, so she procured a sheet of paper and an envelope and wrote as follows:

Mr. John Burkett Ryder:
Dear Sir—I do not call upon gentlemen at their business office. Yours, etc.,

SHIRLEY GREEN.
Her letter was abrupt and at first glance seemed hardly calculated to bring about what she wanted—an invitation to call at the Ryder home, but she was shrewd enough to see that if Ryder wrote to her at all it was because he was most anxious to see her and her abruptness would not deter him from trying again. On the contrary, the very unusualness of any one thus dictating to him would make him more than ever desirous of making her acquaintance. So Shirley mailed the letter and awaited with confidence for Ryder's reply. So certain was she that one would come that she at once began to form her plan of action. She would leave Massapequa at once, and her whereabouts must remain a secret even from her own family. As she intended to go to the Ryder house in the assumed character of Shirley Green, it would never do to run the risk of being followed home by a Ryder detective to the Rossmore cottage. She would confide in one person only—Judge Stott. He would know where she was and would be in constant communication with her. But, otherwise, she must be alone to conduct the campaign as she judged fit. She would go at once to New York and take rooms in a boarding house where she would be known as Shirley Green. As for funds to meet her expenses, she had her diamonds, and would they not be filling a more useful purpose if sold to defray the cost of saving her father than in mere personal adornment? So that evening while her mother was talking with the judge she beckoned Stott over to the corner where she was sitting.

"Judge Stott," she began, "I have a plan."

He smiled indulgently at her. "You said that no one on earth could resist John Burkett Ryder, that no one could fight against the money power. Well, do you know what I am going to do?"

"What will you do?" he asked with a slightly ironical inflection in his voice. "I am going to fight John Burkett Ryder," she cried.

Stott looked at her open mouthed. "You?" he said.

"Yes, I," said Shirley. "I'm going to him, and I intend to get those letters if he has them."

"My dear child," he said, "what are you talking about? How can you expect to reach Ryder? We couldn't."

"I don't know just how yet," replied Shirley, "but I'm going to try. I love my father, and I'm going to leave nothing untried to save him."

"But what can you do?" persisted Stott. "The matter has been sifted over and over by some of the greatest minds in the country."

"Has any woman sifted it over?" demanded Shirley.

"No," then it's stammered Stott.

"Then it's about time one did," said the girl decisively. "Those letters my father speaks of—they would be useful, would they not?"

"They would be invaluable," said Stott. "I'll get them, if not."

"But I don't understand how you're going to get at Ryder," interrupted Stott.

"This is how," replied Shirley, passing over to him the letter she had received that afternoon.

As Stott recognized the well known signature and read the contents the expression of his face changed. He gasped for breath and sank into a chair from sheer astonishment.

"Ah, that's different!" he cried. "That's different!"

Briefly Shirley outlined her plan, explaining that she would go to live in the city immediately and conduct her campaign from there. If she was successful, it might save her father, and if not no harm could become of it.

That same evening her mother, the judge and Stott went for a stroll after dinner and left her to take care of the house. They had wanted Shirley to go, too, but she pleaded fatigue. The truth was that she wanted to be alone, so that she could ponder undisturbed over her plans. It was a clear, starlit night, with no moon, and Shirley sat on the porch listening to the chirping of the crickets and idly watching the flashes of the mysterious fireflies. She was in no mood for reading and sat for a long time rocking herself, engrossed in her thoughts. Suddenly she heard some one unfasten the garden gate. It was too soon for the return of the promenaders. It must be a visitor. Through the uncertain penumbra of the garden she discerned approaching a form which looked familiar. Yes, now there was no doubt possible. It was indeed Jefferson Ryder.

She hurried down the porch to greet him. No matter what the father had done, she could never think any the less of the son. He took her hand, and for several moments neither one spoke. There are times when silence is more eloquent than speech, and this was one of them. The gentle grip of his big, strong hand expressed more tenderly than any words the sympathy that lay in his heart for the woman he loved. Shirley said quietly:

"You have come at last, Jefferson."

"I came as soon as I could," he replied gently. "I saw father only yesterday."

"You need not tell me what he said," Jeffrey hastened to say. He understood what she meant. He hung his head and hit viciously with his walk-

ing stick at the pebbles that lay at his feet. She went on:

"I know everything now. It was foolish of me to think that Mr. Ryder would ever help us."

"I can't help it in any way," blurted out Jefferson. "I have not the slightest influence over him. His business methods I consider disgraceful. You understand that, don't you, Shirley?"

The girl laid her hand on his arm and replied kindly:

"Of course, Jeff, we know that. Come up and sit down."

He followed her on the porch and drew up a rock beside her.

"They are all out for a walk," she explained.

"I'm glad," he said frankly. "I wanted a quiet talk with you. I did not care to meet any one. My name must be odious to your people."

Both were silent, feeling a certain awkwardness. They seemed to have drifted apart in some way since those delightful days in Paris and on the ship. Then he said:

"I'm going away, but I couldn't go until I saw you."

"You are going away?" exclaimed Shirley, surprised.

"Yes," he said, "I cannot stand it any more at home. I had a hot talk with my father yesterday about one thing and another. He and I don't chin well together. Besides this matter of your father's impeachment has completely discouraged me. All the wealth in the world could never reconcile me to such methods! I'm ashamed of the role my own flesh and blood has played in that miserable affair. I can't express what I feel about it. But what are you going to do?" he asked. "These surroundings are not for you."

He looked around at the cheap furnishings which he could see through the open window, and his face showed real concern.

"I shall teach or write, or go out as governess," replied Shirley, with a tinge of bitterness. Then smiling sadly she added: "Poverty is easy. It is unmerited disgrace which is hard."

The young man drew his chair closer and took hold of the hand that lay in her lap. She made no resistance.

"Shirley," he said, "do you remember that talk we had on the ship? I asked you to be my wife. You led me to believe that you were not indifferent to me. I ask you again to marry me. Give me the right to take care of you and yours. I am the son of the world's richest man, but I don't want his money. I have earned a competence of my own—enough to live on comfortably. We will go away where you and your father and mother will make their home with us. Do not let the sins of the fathers embitter the lives of the children."

"Mine has not sinned," said Shirley bitterly.

"I wish I could say the same of mine," replied Jefferson. "It is because the clouds are dark about you that I want to come into your life to comfort you."

The girl shook her head.

"No, Jefferson, the circumstances make such a marriage impossible. Your family and everybody else would say that I had inveigled you into it. It is even more impossible now than I thought it was when I spoke to you on the ship."

Emotion stopped her utterance, and she buried her face in her hands, weeping silently.

"Shirley," said Jefferson tenderly, "you are wrong. If you will not say 'Yes' now, I shall go away as I told my father I would, and one day I shall come back and then if you are still single I shall ask you again to be my wife."

"You may not want me then."

"I shall always want you," he whispered hoarsely, bending over her. In the dim light of the porch he saw that her tear stained face was drawn and pale. He rose and held out his hand.

"Goodbye," he said simply.

"Goodbye, Jefferson." She rose and put her hand in his. "We will always be friends."

He raised her hand to his lips. "Goodbye, Shirley. Don't forget me. I shall come back for you."

He went down the porch, and she watched him go out of the gate and down the road until she could see his figure no longer. Then she turned back and sank into her chair, and burying her face in her handkerchief, she gave way to a torrent of tears which afforded some relief to the weight on her heart. Presently the others returned from their walk, and she told them about the visitor.

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